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In re Application of : Francois Gillet, et al.
Serial No. : 10/031,430
Filed : January 14, 2002
For : PROCESS AND MACHINE FOR MERGING ORDERED
BATCHES OF OBJECTS, IN PARTICULAR BATCHES OF
MAIL ITEMS

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1.53(b), enclosed herewith is the reissue specification referring to the above-identified
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- ☒ Name of inventor, attorney docket number which was on the application as filed,
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- ☐ Name of inventor, title of invention and filing date;
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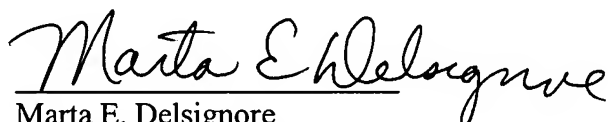
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